

Energy and Human Security Intern



Project Title	Energy and Human Security Intern
Project Summary	Research and review the literature on renewable energy/climate change and human security in the Caribbean. Develop a piece on links between energy and security in Jamaica. Compile information on best practices and strategies related to the environment from bilateral donors.
Country	Jamaica
Agency	Agency for International Development
DoS Office	N/A
Post	N/A
Section	N/A
Number of Interns	2

Project Description

Join USAID/Jamaica in researching and analyzing the nexus between renewable energy and human security in the Caribbean. Along with the Mission's Office of Environment and Health, the two VSFS e-interns will develop a literature review on issues related to climate change, clean energy, and conflict. The VSFS e-interns will write a position piece on renewable energy and human security in Jamaica/Caribbean (including some aspects of rule of law [e.g. praedial larceny]), and support recommendations by collating international strategies related to the environment and energy. The VSFS e-interns will assist in the development of communications on successful USAID clean energy and climate change mitigation/adaptation interventions in Jamaica.

Desired Skills Interests

Additional Information

We are looking for candidates who are currently enrolled in an American undergraduate or graduate program studying biological sciences, ocean engineering, civil engineering, meteorology, international relations/studies,

development, or related fields. Candidates should have experience in research, writing analytical pieces using peer-reviewed research, and should have an understanding of bilateral donor strategies. A commitment to environmental issues is helpful to maintain interest in the internship.

Language Requirements

None